

## REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION CALL

TO GATHER IN LOUISVILLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING DELEGATES.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1ST.

Representation From All Counties in The State Totals 2,356.

The following call for a State Convention to be held in Louisville March, 1st, has been issued from Republican headquarters: The Official Call.

"Louisville, Ky., Jan. 8, 1916.  
"To the Republican Electors of Kentucky:

"In accordance with established custom, and in obedience to the rules governing the Republican Organization of Kentucky, and the official call of the Republican National Committee, the Republican State Central Committee of Kentucky, now directs that a State Convention of delegated representatives of the Republican party of Kentucky be held in the City of Louisville at one o'clock p. m. standard time on Wednesday, the first day of March, 1916, for the purpose of electing four delegates and four alternate delegates from the State of Kentucky, at large, to the National Convention of the Republican Party, to be held in Chicago, Ill., on Wednesday, the 7th day of June, 1916, and for the purpose of nominating two electors from said State at large, to be voted for at the election to be held on November 7, 1916.

"The Republican electors of the State and all other electors, without regard to past political affiliation, who believe in the principles of the Republican party and endorse its policies are cordially invited to unite under this call in the election of delegates to this convention.

"The delegates to said State Convention shall be elected by county mass conventions to be held in the county seat of each county at one o'clock p. m. standard time on Saturday, February 26, 1916, except in the counties of Bell, Boyd, Campbell and Kenton, in which counties the said conventions shall be held at the cities of Middlesboro, Ashland, Newport and Covington, respectively; provided that in the County of Jefferson and the City of Louisville, the City and County Executive Committee shall provide for the holding of conventions for the selection of delegates in each district or sub division of the county, as established by the Jefferson County Executive Committee and approved by this committee.

**Viva Voce Form of Voting.**  
"The form of voting in said county mass conventions shall be viva voce. In the city of Louisville and Jefferson county the County Executive Committee shall determine the manner of voting.

"The Republican Congressional District Committee in each Congressional district will, as directed by the call of the Republican National Committee meet and direct the holding of a Congressional District Convention in such district for the purpose of electing two district delegates and two alternate delegates to said National Convention and such committee is hereby directed to provide in its call for the election of one member of the State Central Committee and for the nomination of one elector to be voted for at said National election, November 7, 1916.

"And it is hereby recommended that the delegates to the said district conventions be elected at the same time and in the same manner as the delegates to the said convention.

"Said State Central Committee further directs that except as hereinafter provided, in each and every county the new members of the Republican County Committee shall be elected by precinct meetings which precinct meetings shall be held at 1 o'clock p. m. standard time, on Saturday March 11, 1916, in the manner prescribed in rule two of the rules of the Republican Organization of Kentucky, except, however, that any county committee may provide for the election of county committeemen by county mass convention and said election of committeemen shall be held by the same officers who conduct the election of delegates to the State Convention, and the form of voting for the selection of such delegates and county committeemen shall be viva voce unless otherwise provided by the county committee, and such mass conventions shall be held in such county at the same time and place at which the delegates are elected to said State Convention, to-wit: on Saturday, February 26, 1916, at 1 o'clock p. m.; provided that in

the county of Jefferson members of the County Executive Committee shall be elected as provided in the rules of the State Central Committee especially applicable to the county of Jefferson and said County Executive Committee shall determine the manner of voting.

**One Delegate Every 100 Votes.**  
One delegate shall be elected for each one hundred votes or fraction thereof amounting to fifty or over cast for the Republican candidates for electors in each county at the presidential election in 1908, except in the County of McCreary (which had not been created in 1908) where the combined vote polled by the Republican and Progressive candidates for Presidential electors in 1912 is taken as the basis. On this basis McCreary county is entitled to nine votes and these votes shall be deducted from Whitley, Pulaski and Wayne counties, the three counties from which McCreary county was created, in the proportion that the Republican vote polled in these three counties in 1908 bears to the combined Progressive and Republican vote polled in McCreary county in 1912. The votes deducted are three from Whitley, four from Pulaski and two from Wayne. Upon the basis above fixed the several counties of the State are entitled to representation as follows.

Adair, 19; Allen, 19; Anderson, 10; Ballard, 7; Barren, 23; Bath, 15; Bell, 28; Boone, 6; Bourbon, 23; Boyd, 29; Boyle, 15; Bracken, 11; Breathitt, 16; Breckenridge, 26; Bullitt, 7; Butler, 23; Caldwell, 15; Calloway, 8; Campbell, 70; Carlisle, 5; Carroll, 5; Carter, 26; Casey, 19; Christian, 46; Clark, 18; Clay, 20; Clinton, 11; Crittenden, 17; Cumberland, 12; Davless, 39; Edmonson, 13; Elliott, 6; Estill, 15; Fayette, 47; Fleming, 20; Floyd, 16; Franklin, 16; Fulton, 6; Gallatin, 3; Garrard, 10; Grant, 11; Graves, 17; Grayson, 24; Green, 13; Greenup, 21; Hancock, 11; Hardin, 19; Harlan, 14; Harrison, 16; Hart, 20; Henderson, 25; Henry, 14; Hickman, 7; Hopkins, 33; Jackson, 19; Jefferson, 272; Jessamine, 13; Johnson, 23; Kenton, 64; Knott, 6; Knox, 28; Laurel, 10; Laurel, 26; Lawrence, 21; Lee, 12; Leslie, 14; Letcher, 12; Lewis, 19; Lincoln, 19; Logan, 23; Livingston, 10; Lyon, 8; Madison, 32; Magoffin, 16; Marion, 13; Marshall, 12; Martin, 10; Mason, 21; McCracken, 30; McLean, 13; Meade, 9; Menefee, 5; Mercer, 16; Metcalfe, 13; Monroe, 19; Montgomery, 13; Morgan, 14; McCreary, 9; Muhlenberg, 31; Nelson, 14; Nicholas, 11; Ohio, 33; Oldham, 6; Owen, 7; Owsley, 12; Pendleton, 12; Perry, 13; Pike, 25; Powell, 7; Pulaski, 41; Robertson, 4; Rockcastle, 18; Rowan, 10; Russell, 13; Scott, 18; Shelby, 18; Simpson, 9; Spencer, 6; Taylor, 12; Todd, 16; Trigg, 14; Trimble, 3; Union, 13; Warren, 29; Washington, 15; Wayne, 17; Webster, 18; Whitley, 37; Wolfe, 8; Woodford, 14. Total, 2,356.

E. T. FRANKS,  
Chairman.  
ALVIS BENNETT,  
Secretary.

**Public Sale.**  
The undersigned Committee, of the West Kentucky Petroleum Company, duly thereunto authorized by the stockholders of said Company, will, on January 31st, 1916, at about one o'clock p. m., on the J. T. Snell leasehold, about five miles east of Hartford, Ky., expose for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, all of the property and assets of the Company, including the following:

About 1500 acres of oil and gas leaseholds, on which are located four producing oil wells, with derricks, tubing and carrying rods; 2 800 bbl. tanks; 7 250 bbl. tanks; 1 100 bbl. tank; 1 20 bbl. tank; 2 receiving tanks; 2 25 H. P. boilers; 2 25 H. P. F. & M. oil engines; 3 20 H. P. Drilling Engines; 1 16 H. P. boiler; 1 Snow pump; 10,000 ft. 2 in. water line; 5,900 ft. 2 in. oil line; 400 ft. 10 in. casing; 500 ft. 8 in. casing; 1500 ft. 6 in. casing; 1 lot 1 & 2 in. fittings; 1 donkey pump; 1 lot 1 in. pipe; 1 lot tubing and rod tools; 1 tool house and contents; 2 small houses; 1 span mules, wagon and harness; 1 string drilling tools complete, including extra 1 25 H. P. boiler, 1 25 H. P. drilling engine, and lot of miscellaneous tools and supplies.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Hartford, Ky., January 20th, 1916.  
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## RATS ATTACK THE FRENCH TRENCHES

RODENTS PROVE ALMOST AS BAD AN ENEMY AS THE GERMANS.

Paris, Jan. 22.—In some sections of the French front the rats are a greater danger than the Germans. In Champagne and the districts extending from the Meuse to the Nord officers and men alike suffer dreadfully from the plague of rodents.

To a representative of the Pasteur Institute who was sent to inquire into the rat plague a Colonel confessed that he had to give up the parcels sent him by his family. Altho he did all he could to get rid of the rats, his provisions disappeared as if by magic. Even his cigars were not respected.

Trench rats, indeed, seem to go for everything. They have rendered captive balloons useless and even attacked sleeping soldiers. The evil is all the more serious because the rats are active propagators of diseases. The military authorities have made several attempts to get rid of the plague.

There was a talk of utilizing the virus which the Pasteur Institute produced thirty years ago, and which gave excellent results everywhere. The virus which inoculates the rats with a fatal malady has only been employed in isolated cases in depots and sheds.

Now, after laborious researches, the Pasteur Institute has produced a poison which is causing havoc among the rats, while it causes no inconvenience to man or dogs. In one night it destroyed in the corner of one single trench no less than 420 rats.

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the poison daily, but the rats are wily. They will not go to the same bait twice, and it is necessary to vary the lures. But from now on, the fight against the rats will go on mercilessly, and the rat fighters will be reinforced by 1,200 dogs, which have been mobilized by the military authorities.

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**VILLA DENIES HAVING ANY PART IN MASSACRE**

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 22.—Theodore Prieto, who says he is a major in the Villa army appeared here today and declared that he had been absent in disguise to the border by General Villa to say that Villa had nothing to do with the massacre of eighteen foreigners at Santa Ysabel on January 10.

"Villa did not know of the tragedy for days afterward," says Prieto. "He instructed me to say he will execute the men responsible even if they prove to be his own men, if they are caught."

Villa was near Juico, in the vicinity of Pearson, Chihuahua, when Prieto left him, he said.

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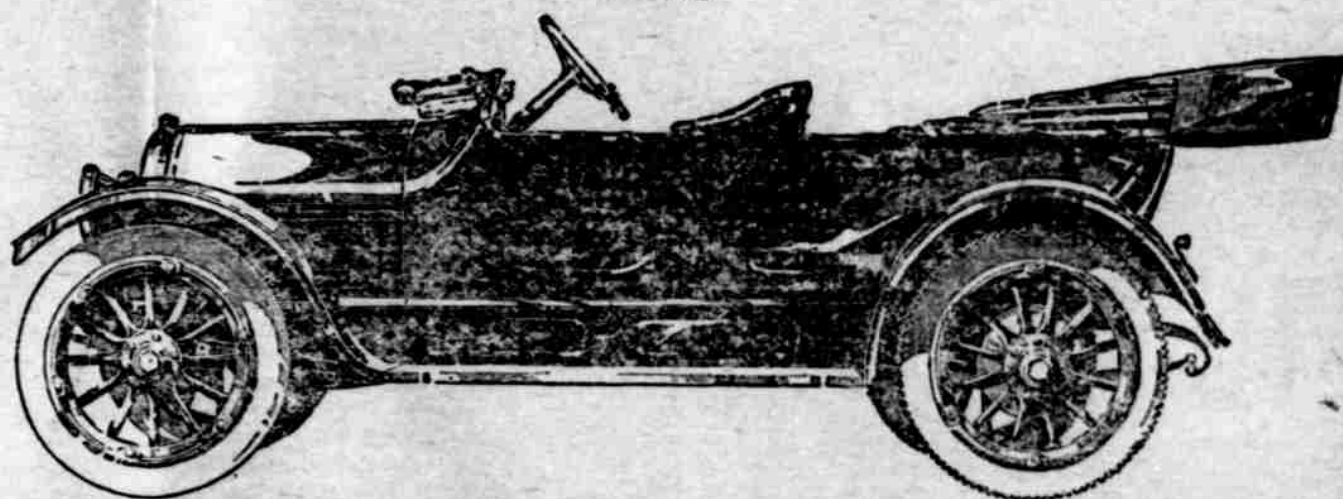
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